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Mary Cottrell, Secretary Department of Telecommunications & Energy One South Station, 2nd Floor Boston, MA 02110

RE: DTE 04-66/04-81- New England Power Company and Massachusetts Electric Company - Petitions for Zoning Exemptions in Haverhill, Massachusetts

Dear Secretary Cottrell:

Enclosed are an original and twelve (12) copies of the Initial Brief of New England Power Company and Massachusetts Electric Company in the captioned dockets. Please date and time stamp the enclosed letter and returned in the envelope included.

Respectfully,

s/Paige Graening

Enclosures

cc: Kathryn Sedor, Hearing Officer Matthew F. Goldberg, Esquire Eric J. Krathwohl, Esquire